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Foreign Gossip.

The bridal attire for the Princess Alice, of England, is very nearly completed. The lace has been preparing in skillful hands for over sixteen months, and the design was chosen by the late Prince Consort.

Hungerford Market, in London, has been demolished, to make way for a new railway station.

The Emperor Napoleon III., on the 20th of April last, entered his 55th year.

The death of Rev. Stephen H. Hughes, Rector of Llaningo, Anglesea, is announced. He it was who did so much for the wrecked people saved by the Royal Charter, and broke down his health by his exertions on that occasion. Charles Dickens visited him a year or two ago, and gave a graphic account of the man and locality in *All the Year Round*. He has headed a contribution for Hughes' widow with a gift of £15.

A Trieste journal maintains that Garibaldi was killed in the battle of Voltorno, and the present Garibaldi, now receiving popular ovations in Italy, is an impostor—an impudent and successful pretender.

King Victor Emmanuel, in a recent public address, spoke of the Emperor Napoleon as "the only true friend on whom Italy could rely, and one to whom she does not yet know the extent of the benefits she owed." He said, also, that he hoped to see Rome restored to the Italians by the middle of 1862.

The Sultan of Turkey, it is said, will visit Paris and London during the summer.

A band of thieves broke into a burial place of a noble family at Mulheim, Germany, but not finding the booty they expected, they set the coffins in the vault on fire, and three were, with their contents, reduced to ashes.

The coronation of the King of Prussia cost the civil list eight hundred thousand thalers—somewhat over half a million of dollars.

An English mission to Madagascar has been well received by the king, who evinces considerable familiarity with English politics.

An American vessel, the *J. J. Boyd*, left Liverpool, on the 21st of April, with six hundred and ninety-six passengers, all Mormons. It was a *Punch* called the *Arcticon*, in a late number of which Napoleon is represented as playing with Francis II. and Victor Emmanuel for his puppets. The string is so tied that it makes the one bob against the other.

Richard Doyle, the caricaturist, denies the report that he is again drawing for *Punch*. He left that journal in 1851, on account of its abuse of the Catholics—and the reasons he had for leaving prevent his return.

A monument has been erected to Bishop Hooker, at Gloucester, on the site of his martyrdom. It consists of a pedestal and statue, surmounted by an open canopy and a crocketed and carved spire.

The following notice, worthy of Hibernia itself, was lately posted on the estate of an English nobleman in Kent:

"Notice is hereby given that the Marquis of —, (on account of the backwardness of the season), will not shoot himself nor any of his tenants, till after the 16th of September." The right to take photographs in the London Exhibition was sold to the highest bidder, and the tender of the London Stereoscopic Company was successful. No photographs are to be sold in the buildings; no views are to be taken after ten o'clock A. M., and none at all without the consent of the exhibitors themselves.

Enrico Stoppa, a noted Tuscan Brigand, has just been arrested at the very gates of Rome, and has confessed to eleven murders of the most revolting character. The people of the Maremma held him in such dread that they contributed a sum of money, which they gave him on condition of his emigrating to America. He took the money, but remained away only a short time. His last exploit was the murder of a wealthy Italian who was traveling near Leghorn with a large sum of money, and whose servants took to their heels the moment they saw the dreaded Stoppa. The son of this man caused at last his arrest. Stoppa is but thirty years old.

CURIOUS MATRIMONIAL CASE.—A curious circumstance of a couple trying to get married under false names occurred near Ballymena County, Antrim. The parties, it seems, were of unequal social position, and of different religious belief, but love triumphed over such petty obstacles. It was desirable, however, to avoid the remonstrances of friends, so the lady, whose real name was Jenny Eccles, assumed that of McBride, and the gentleman, whose real name was Cunningham, took the euphonious cognomen of McSwuggen. They thought that the imposition was a mere harmless rouse, which mattered little provided the knot was only tied. But the Registrar General got wind of the affair, and when the happy bridal party appeared the bridegroom was arrested under the law imposing the penalty of perjury on any one who makes a false declaration for the purpose of getting married.

DEATH OF A COMPOSER.—Our English exchanges announce the death of Mr. S. Nelson, after a short illness, in London. The deceased had a world-wide reputation as a composer of some of our best English ballads; "The Rose of Allendale," "The Flag that Braved a Thousand Years," "Oh Steer my Bark to Erin's Isle," "The Pilot," "Madeline," &c., &c., are amongst the many of his compositions.

DOMESTIC SERVICE AND MARRIAGE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The number of women servants in Great Britain, nearly all of whom are necessarily single, is astonishing. In 1851 it reached 905,165, and must now reach at least a million. This is a social phenomenon in all civilized countries, though probably nowhere on so great a scale as with us. It would appear to be a permanent and necessary one; and probably in its essence and within due limits is not to be found fault with or deplored. That there are some evils connected with it is indisputable. No doubt many of these girls are exposed to considerable hardships. More probably are exposed to great temptations. Thousands of them live in a degree of comfort, even luxury, which they would forfeit if they married in their own rank and descended to a cottage of their own, and the unwillingness to forfeit which makes them cling to single servitude as preferable to conjugal and maternal cares and joys. Thousands of them also acquire that perception and taste for refined manners and modes of life which are only to be found in the families of the upper ranks, which gradually become almost indispensable to them, and which we have justly alluded to in a note as constituting one of the dangers of the better educated daughters of the poor. Lastly, all of them, or nearly all, from years spent in a state of dependence and of plenty, in which everything is supplied to them and arranged for their own, lose or never acquire that managing faculty and those provident habits which would fit them to conduct a household of their own. If girls usually entered domestic service, as the Lowell factory girls in America enter the cotton-mills, only for a few years, to acquire practice and lay up a dowry, it might only have the effect of postponing their marriage to a prudent age; but as it prevails amongst us, it is inimical to marriage altogether.—*National Review*.

ANECDOTE OF A STRANGE CHARACTER.—An anecdote relative of Dom Machado, the Counsellor of the Portuguese Embassy, who died in Paris a year ago, has just appeared in print:

That gentleman was a great ornithologist, and had formed an extensive aviary, comprising the rarest species of birds, which had been his special study for years. Desirous of ascertaining the age attained by several of the species, reputed to live much longer than man, Dom Machado had their names duly registered, and made careful arrangements for their being transmitted from hand to hand, until the end of their lives. A blue and black bird bequeathed to him by M. Geoffroy St. Hilaire is already very old; as are many others of the collection. The deceased ornithologist having a whimsical wish that his funeral, whenever it should occur, might be attended by a host of feathered mourners, had regularly, through the last seven years of his life, at three o'clock in the afternoon, placed plates of meat set up fine, on the balcony of his residence, on the Quai Voltaire; sprinkling at the same time quantity of bread crumbs on the floor of the apartment. The jackdaws and sparrows, so numerous in that part of the town, came, punctual as the clock of the neighboring French Academy, to regale themselves at that hour. In order to ensure the attendance of his winged pensioners at his funeral, the eccentric Portuguese had only, therefore, to give directions in his will that it should take place at three o'clock precisely. This he had, and, on the day of the funeral, the jackdaws and sparrows came for their dinner at the usual hour. Not finding their accustomed meal, they were loud in their lamentations, to the intense amazement of the friends of the defunct, assembled at his obsequies. Let us hope that the ghost of the grim joker was able to be present on the occasion, and to enjoy the success of the scene so patiently prepared beforehand for the mystification of his survivors.

CLEARED HIMSELF.—Mr. Edwin James has been making a speech before the New York Bar, and was exonerated by them of all improper motives in certain money transactions in England, which have been much ventilated of late in London papers.

DRAWING.

Lessons in the above Art are given by

EUSTACE W. JACOB,

Landscape Painter.

Who was formerly a pupil of Frederick Rumble, of the British Institution, London, and of Charles Guison, at Geneva.

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Japanese Salve.

THE JAPANESE SALVE IS THE BEST

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Cure of Poison from Poison Oak,

Mosquito Bites, Cuts, Sprains, Burns, Piles, Boils, Bruises, Corns, Chilblains, Gunshot Wounds, Sore Nipples, Nursing Sore Breasts, and in fact all kinds of Sores.

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Between Macdonald's and Schloss & Livingston's Banking Houses.

Have always on hand a large and well selected stock of the above articles, and are able to sell at the lowest possible figure.

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FROM MANCHESTER,

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BALES 31x48-inch COTTON PRINTS,

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WANTS.

Wanted

FOR H. M. SHIPS AT ESQUIMAULT, Carpenters, Stokers, A. B. Seamen, Ordinary do., and Boys: For further particulars apply to J. NAGLE & Co., Shipping Agents.

July 10

Farming in Vancouver.

AN ENGLISHMAN, WHO WITH HIS wife and children, will be glad to meet with a person having a small capital, who would be willing to enter into partnership with the advertiser for the purpose of taking up and farming a piece of land in the Island of Vancouver.

Address "J. H." British Colonist Office.

500 Men Wanted,

TO WORK ON A WAGON ROAD FROM Lillooet to Mud Lake.

No one will be hired for a period less than two months. If they wish they can engage until the full completion of the Road. Wages will be paid 12 CASH ON THE ROAD, at the expiration of the time for which men are hired.

Any persons desirous of taking sub-contracts for sections of the Road not less than five miles, will have an opportunity of so doing. Such Contractors will be paid in instalments as the Road progresses, subject of the amount being retained to ensure that those portions are kept in repair for four months after their completion by such Contractors.

Application to be made to the undersigned, at Port Douglas, March 24th, 1862.

G. B. WRIGHT & CO. je25 1m

Laborers Wanted,

TO WORK ON THE GRAND TRUNK Wagon Road from Yale to Cariboo.

For further particulars apply to

WALTON & BARNETT, General Agents, Cor. Yates and Commercial streets.

N. B.—New arrivals can obtain any information respecting the Mining Districts of British Columbia, as well as the available resources of both Colonies, by calling at the office of

je1 1m WALTON & BARNETT.

1000 Laborers Wanted,

TO WORK ON THE GREAT TRUNK Wagon Road from Yale to Cariboo.

Wages will be paid in cash on the Road.

Sub-contracts will be let in large and small sections.

For further particulars, apply to Charles Oppenheimer, at Yale and Lytton, or to Thomas B. Lewis and Walter Moberly, on the Road.

je1 2m C. OPPENHEIMER & CO.

WANTED

A LAND UPSTAIRS HILL, CAMANO ISLAND, V. I., Twenty Acres, Thirty Acres, or more, to understand making spars and square timber.

Apply to Capt. J. Nagle, Victoria, or to the undersigned at the mill.

GREENAN & CRANNEY, ly

Victoria, V. I., 11th April.

FOR SALE—TO LET.

Store to Let.

ONE OF THOSE NEW STORES ON Government street, next to the Theatre. Possession immediately. Apply to

je1 HENRY FRY.

To Rent.

THE FIREPROOF STORE ON WHARF street recently occupied by MARTIN BROS.

Apply to JAMES WILCOX, Royal Hotel, Wharf street.

je1 1f

Lytton Steam Sawmill.

A ONE-HALF INTEREST IN THIS property is now offered for sale to close a partnership. For particulars apply to G. B. WRIGHT, at Lillooet, B. C., or MORTIMER COOK, Lytton City.

je1 1f

Lots for Sale in Victoria West.

SOME OF THOSE WELL SITUATED Lots, either single or in blocks to suit, are offered at private sale. The immediate neighborhood of the city, and the desirable either for private residences or for trades of different descriptions. Maps can be seen at the Office of

je1 3m L. D. LOWENBERG, No. 35 Government st., Between Broughton and Fort sts.

Yale Steam Saw Mill.

THIS PROPERTY IS NOW FOR SALE, to close a partnership. For particulars apply on the premises.

Yale, May 27, 1862. je29 1mdw

TO RENT.

THE STORE LATELY OCCUPIED BY REID & McDONALD, on the corner Lot opposite the Hudson Bay Company's Store on Wharf street. This Store is in an excellent situation for business, and the lease is for sale at a low price. It is 45 feet by 22 inside; 2 stories, 8 rooms up stairs; a large Wood Shed for lumber and a large piece of ground on View street attached to the building.

For further particulars apply to

je1 2f J. M. REID, On the premises.

FOR SALE.

THE MANSON HOUSE, SITUATED in the City of Victoria. The House is large and commodious and capable of accommodating

One Hundred Boarders.

It is partly furnished, and with small expense would be ready for customers.

WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK New Westminster, May 24, 1862. je25 Press copy.

TO RENT.

ON FIVE YEARS LEASE, AND AT low rates, about 200 feet of that valuable frontage on Fort street, opposite Broad street, ninety feet deep.

Also—About 255 fronting on Broughton street.

For particulars apply to JOHN J. COCHRANE, Land Agent, Government street, next COLONIST Office.

je21 1m

Barnard's Express!

HITHERTO RUNNING BETWEEN VICTORIA, V. I., and LYTTON, B. C., will, on and after the 7th July next, be merged into the

British Columbia & Victoria Express Co.

VICTORIA, V. I., 23d June, 1862.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

—AND—

Victoria

EXPRESS CO.

(CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.)

THE FIRST REGULAR WEEKLY EXPRESS to Cariboo will be dispatched from Victoria July 7th, leaving Douglas Point, at the arrival of the Steamer at those points. The Express via Douglas and Lillooet will connect at Williams Lake with the Express via Yale and Lytton; and thence to Antler City, whence carriers will be dispatched to the various mining camps.

Relying on the support of a discerning public, the undersigned have spared no expense in their arrangements, nor will any effort be wanting on their part to render this the most safe and speedy means of conveyance to and from the mines.

je21 F. J. BARNARD & CO.

7 WILKINSON, ex Park Mary.

Will be sold cheap if not soon.

JAMES S. HARRISON, Langley street.

je25 Corner of Bastion street.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

IT IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Partnership heretofore existing in Victoria between Lewis A. Levy and David Jacob has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, the said David Jacob paying all the liabilities of the late firm and discharging all the accounts due the same.

Dated at Victoria this 10th day of July, 1862. LEWIS A. LEVY. D. JACOB.

Witness, JOHN M. THORNEY.

The business will be hereafter carried on by David Jacob.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP EXISTING BETWEEN J. M. MORGAN and M. CAROTHERS have been amicably dissolved.

J. M. MORGAN. M. CAROTHERS. je1 1m

NOTICE.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS DESIRING OF CONTRACTING FOR THE Erection of two Houses on Broughton street, may see the Plans and Specifications at the office of the undersigned.

Tenders to be given in on or before 2, p. m. Thursday, the 17th inst.

je1 1m RICHARD LEWIS, Architect.

NOTICE.

AN ADJOURNED GENERAL LICENSE Session will be held at the Police Court on Friday, the 15th day of July next, at 12 o'clock noon.

HORACE SMITH, Acting Clerk of the Sessions. je1 2

CARD.

THE AGENT OF THE ROYAL MAIL Steam Packet Company will be glad to furnish passengers by the Company's Ship from Southampton to Antler, with up to their arrival in Victoria, with any information he may possess on the subject of the Mines in British Columbia, Routes, etc., by calling at the office, No. 6 Yates street, between the hours of 12 and 4 P. M.

Victoria, V. I., July 3, 1862. je1 1m

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES HAVING ANY CLAIMS AGAINST MARTIN BROS. are requested to present their accounts for payment at the Star and Garter Hotel, Government street, immediately, and all parties owing the said firm are requested to settle their accounts forthwith.

Victoria, V. I., July 2, 1862. je1 1m

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THE AGENT OF THE ROYAL MAIL Steam Packet Company will be glad to furnish passengers by the Company's Ship from Southampton to Antler, with up to their arrival in Victoria, with any information he may possess on the subject of the Mines in British Columbia, Routes, etc., by calling at the office, No. 6 Yates street, between the hours of 12 and 4 P. M.

Victoria, V. I., July 3, 1862. je1 1m

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM VICTORIA I leave Mr. J. ENE THOMAS my authorized Agent, and by this give him full power to transact all business receive and settle all accounts of my concern.

JOHN D. CARROLL, Victoria, June 27th, 1862. je30

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY FORBIDDEN FROM ANY ACCOUNT OF THE STEAMERS OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VICTORIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, unless per written order of

je29 JOHN T. WRIGHT, JR.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Partnership heretofore carried on by us under the style of CHAS. OPPENHEIMER & CO., in British Columbia, is dissolved from this day. All debts due to the late firm are to be paid to ISAAC and DAVID OPPENHEIMER, carrying on business as Oppenheimer & Co., by whom all demands against the late Partnership will be liquidated.

CHARLES OPPENHEIMER, DAVID OPPENHEIMER, ISAAC OPPENHEIMER.

je25 1m

A Reward of \$25

IS HEREBY OFFERED FOR THE production and delivery to the undersigned of the original Deed of Conveyance from the Hudson's Bay Company to Pandell's Maviederos of Town Lot No. 393, dated in or about the month of July 1858, and which Deed is now required for the purpose of Registration.

je26 3m ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor, Government st., Victoria.

CAUTION.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against taking, negotiating, receiving, or in any manner dealing with a certain Note for the sum of Twenty-four hundred Dollars, signed by the undersigned, and dated at the Forks of the Quesselle, on the 28th day of May, 1862, and payable to R. Keithley or order, at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office, in Victoria, V. I., fifty days after date.

S. D. LEVI, J. ROAN, D. J. HAMMURGER. je23

NOTICE.

Victoria Gas Company Limited.

PARTIES REQUIRING TO BE SUPPLIED with gas, may send in a sketch open for inspection at the Company's office, corner of Yates and Langley streets, so that proper arrangements may be made while the street mains are being laid.

je21 J. J. SOUTHWATE, Chairman.

\$50 Reward.

THE SPAR INTENDED FOR THE Signal-staff on Beacon Hill having broken adrift from its moorings at Ogden Point, the above reward will be given to any person who will return it to the same place, or half the amount to any one who will give information where it may be found and safely secure it till called for.

Per order. J. T. PDWELL. je18

Victoria, 17th June, 1862.

Reward of \$25.

WHEREAS THE ORIGINAL DEED OF CONVEYANCE from the Hudson's Bay Company to Pandell's Maviederos of Town Lot No. 393, dated in the month of July, 1858, has been lost, I, Edward Langley, of Victoria, give notice that I will be given to any person who will return it with him the over the above Deed to the purpose of Registration.

je26 3m Johnson street, Town Lot 393.

Public Notice.

FOR THE PRESENT IS RESERVED the Land comprising the Flat and extending up the Valley to a distance of about three miles measured on the windings of the Homathco or Pryce River.

An indication of what is comprised in the above description may be seen on a sketch open for inspection at the Land and Works Office, New Westminster, and Colonial Secretary's Office, Victoria, V. I. Due notice will be given on any withdrawal of any part of the above reservation.

By order of the Governor. R. E. C. MOODY, Col R. E. C. L. W. je27

St. Andrew's Society.

NOTICE.

Missing.—Reward.

A SUITABLE REWARD WILL BE paid to any person who will give information that will lead to the recovery of Mr. CAMPBELL, the Piper, who strayed from the Hospital on Saturday last. When he left the Hospital he had on black frock coat and plaid trousers. Mr. Campbell is about 65 years of age, with gray hair and whiskers.

A. F. MAIN, Secretary of the St. Andrew's Society. je20 Press copy.

Window Glass! Window Glass!

1000 BOXES, FROM \$10 TO \$15 each, in quantities to

THE BRITISH COLONIST

TO ADVERTISERS.
All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.
Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

Tuesday Morning, July 15, 1862.

Nanaimo and Comax—Good Places for Farmers.

We alluded a short time ago to the neglect of the Government in encouraging agriculture in and around Nanaimo. Since then we have observed that two projects have been set on foot to remedy the evil. A County Land Office has been established there; and some attempts have been made to open up the roads into the surrounding country. Both projects, it seems to us, are movements in the right direction, and it only remains to make the County Land Office what it ought to be, and open the roads so that access can be had to the land, to render Nanaimo second only to Victoria itself. In fact, we know of no farming district in the Colony that offers greater inducements to farmers, either to purchase or preempt land. There are large tracts of fertile land in Mountain, Cranberry, and Cedar districts. There is a greater extent, perhaps, in the latter than in either of the others. At any rate, there is enough good land upon which to build up several flourishing settlements. Prairie land may not be so plentiful as in the Comax; but we think there are other advantages that counterbalance the want of open country. The farmer who shall settle in the neighborhood of Nanaimo will have a market at his door. At the coal mines, or dependent on them, there are now some 300 and odd inhabitants; and beyond a few small gardens, and the commencement of a farm this season, there is not a pound of vegetable produce raised to supply the market. Even grazing, for which the country is well adapted, is not attended to; and whatever beef or mutton may be consumed has to be brought from Victoria. The farmers in the immediate vicinity of this town complain of foreign competition; but at Nanaimo that source of complaint would be almost entirely escaped. Besides that, two markets offer themselves to the settler in the Nanaimo country.

If the Nanaimo market should not prove large enough to consume the surplus produce of a large settlement, then there are the markets of Victoria and New Westminster open to them. The former would be seventy and the latter about thirty miles distant. Thus the Nanaimo farmer may have three strings to his bow; and neither of them at a distance too remote to make it unprofitable to transport his produce to market for sale. We very much doubt, however, whether there ever will be any real necessity to seek any other market than Nanaimo. Its population is respectable in numbers even now. It possesses very extensive coal fields; and as agriculture becomes developed there, so we believe the coal mines will employ a larger population either directly or indirectly. In that way both branches of industry would flourish—both be of advantage to each other.

The Comax is somewhere about 70 miles higher up the coast than Nanaimo, and from the accounts of explorers it offers one great inducement to the intending farmer—there is a great extent of open prairie country there. All that is required is to locate a farm, fence it in, erect a house, and put the plough into the soil. It must be admitted the advantage of prairie land ready for the plow is a very great one indeed. Through such a country, no serious difficulty would be found in the want of roads. It would cost but a trifling labor to make passable tracks in the dry season, and thus the farmer could reach the shore with his produce at a trifling outlay, either of time, money, or labor. A farm may be easier made at Comax than at Nanaimo, as a general thing, yet the latter has a market for produce at his door, whilst there would be no market for the Comax farmer nearer than Nanaimo, New Westminster, or Victoria.

It cannot, however, be a very long period before the increasing trade on the Northwest coast will render it an easy matter to sell produce to coasters or have it freighted at low rates to a market. When such a period arrives it must be apparent to every one that the Comax country will become one of the most flourishing settlements on the Island; and farms that may now be pre-empted at a dollar an acre will be worth five, ten, or fifteen dollars per acre—in very well situated, perhaps more. The early settlers either of Nanaimo or the Comax will have other opportunities to enrich themselves than by merely sowing and reaping. Under the pre-emption laws all the coal, copper, lead, or baser metals found in the soil belong to the pre-emptor. Within a very brief period the coal and copper veins, which are very numerous, will soon become of great value. Capitalists will not be long wanting who will either lease or purchase; and, as a matter of course, where many a pre-emptor may to-day locate simply for farming purposes, within the next five or ten years the discovery of coal or copper may double or quintuple the value of his pre-emption, improvements and all. We have an abiding faith in the copper leads. Explorations indicate that our coast, between here and the Comax, is intersected everywhere with copper-bearing veins. So it is only a matter of time when they will be turned to account. Another inducement to settle early in those districts is the opportunity afforded to get hold of saw-mill and grist-mill sites on water courses. Such property, as the country is settled up, will be a necessity, and valuable in proportion as the settlements increase in population, or as the demand for lumber grows, both at home and abroad.

THE "NEXT STEAMER."—Ever since the great American rebellion broke out the cry has been with us Victorians, after each steamer had arrived, with its budget of late news, "wait for the next steamer!" "Next steamers" without number have arrived and left again, and to-day finds us as anxiously awaiting the arrival of the "next steamer" as if we had not heard a word of the progress of events in the States for a year past. The position in which the latest dispatch left McClellan and his forces before Richmond was anything but satisfactory to either Unionists or Rebels. Two battles were fought on the 26th and 27th of June; but up to the 2d of July—nearly a week thereafter—even the War Department at Washington was without correct details of the "affair." The wires, it was said, were down. We know, however, that Stoneman was outflanked and driven by the rebels from the Peninsula to Yorktown, and from Yorktown to Fortress Monroe. But where was McClellan? How did the battles leave him? Lots of rumors were about: that he had lost 10,000 men—that he was outflanked—that the battle was the result of skillful strategy on his part—that he was selecting a new base of operations with James river, instead of Chickahominy creek, as the centre; but we have no official dispatch from the "Young Napoleon." He is as silent as the tomb to which many of his followers must have descended on those two memorable days. The War Department has promised to acquaint the people with the details and the result of the fights, so soon as officially received—whether they be "good or bad." It is felt by the many who have watched the contest from the first that the result of the struggle now going on for the possession of Richmond will seal the fate of the great republic forever. Hence the present anxiety to hear the next news, and to learn what the future has in store for that fair country. Speed the steamer.

The Dublin City Mission gives a very favorable account of its progress in reclaiming fallen women. A House of Refuge has been opened in Marlborough street, where the inmates receive religious instruction, and are taught industrial occupations. During the year, 152 were received, of whom 33 still remain in the Refuge, and many were provided with situations, or restored to their families.

The Princess Helena, of England, was confirmed on the 16th ultimo in the little church of Whippingham, in the Isle of Wight, where the Queen attends while at Osborne.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

DR. J. FLATTERY, M.D.—This successful physician and surgeon from San Francisco continues at the Colonial Hotel, Victoria, V.I., where he can be consulted for a short time previous to his return to San Francisco, Cal. Dr. Flattery having for the last twenty years been actively engaged in the practical treatment of all medical and surgical diseases of Europe, the United States, Australia and the South Sea and Sandwich Islands, and during which time he has had thousands of patients under his medical supervision, and by careful and practical attention to all diseases both of a Private and General nature, (having diagnosed the true Physiological and Pathological character of these diseases by microscopic and other minute researches), has thus been enabled to restore the enfeebled, debilitated and exhausted constitution to a state of energy, health and happiness, and set it free from the disease and death-like influence of the brain and nervous system to a new existence and renovated life, with all its natural concomitant enjoyments.

Therefore the "Incurables of this City" are particularly invited to avail themselves of an opportunity to get well.

His new treatment and special attention to Consumption, Asthma, Throat Diseases, cases of Indigestion and Secondary Symptoms, warrant a more favorable result in the most prevalent complaints than is generally entertained. With these affections he often finds blended Heart Diseases, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaints, Piles and Female Affections, so that the also receive his attention as well as Operative Surgery and Chronic Diseases generally.

The Doctor proposes to instruct persons, individually or by classes, in the peculiarities of his successful treatment of the above complaints, and will reply to all letters addressed to him as above, or San Francisco, Cal., stating name, age, time taken ill, constitution, occupation, number of treatments submitted to, description of causes and symptoms experienced and those existing; he will send medicines with directions to cure any disease. Observe, his Rooms are at the Colonial Hotel.

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City of Memphis,
La Nina,
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TEA.

50 chests sup. Black Tea, 1-1/2 papers.

China Sugar, S. I. Sugar, Bacon,
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Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.

NOTICE.

IF THIS SHOULD MEET THE EYE of John Arkwell he is earnestly requested to communicate with his father, Richard Arkwell, stone-mason, Alex. near Dursley, Gloucestershire, England. The said John Arkwell is about 22 years of age and left Melbourne, Australia, for California or British Columbia in the early part of the year 1853. Any person having a knowledge of him are respectfully requested to communicate with the said Richard Arkwell, or to H. J. Adams, No. 4, Willow Terrace, Willow Walk, Kentish Town, London.

FOR SALE

WHALE BOATS AND WHALING Gear, by HENRY NATHAN, Wharf street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

JOHN S. BISHOP,
Book-keeper and Accountant,
COLLECTOR OF RENTS, DEBTS, &c.,
OFFICE—Corner Yates and Langley sts.
July 15

California Lloyd's
Marine Insurance Company.

OFFICE—412 Montgomery st., San Francisco.
THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO NOTIFY Ship Owners and Merchants of their having been appointed Agents of the above named Company for the Colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and that in all cases of loss or damage to Vessel or Cargo insured in this office, the assured or their representatives will please report full particulars of same to the Agents in Victoria, so as to prevent any unnecessary delay in the settlement of their claims on the Company.

J. J. SOUTGATE & CO., Agents,
Victoria, V. I., July 12, 1862.

Dr. Guyott's Improved Extract of
Yellow-Dock and Sarsaparilla.

THIS EXTRACT OF YELLOW-DOCK AND SARSAPARILLA is a positive, speedy and permanent cure for all diseases incident to females. Its mild alterative properties render it peculiarly applicable to the tender and delicate constitution of the female. It is unrivalled in its effect upon such diseases as Incipient Consumption, Barrenness, Leucorrhoea or Whites, Irregular Menstruation, Incontinence of Urine, and General Prostration of the System.

It immediately counteracts that distressing Nervousness and Lassitude so common to the female frame and imparts an energy and buoyancy as surprising as they are grateful. We have evidence on this which induces us strongly to recommend this medicine to married people who have not been blessed with offspring. The Shaker prepared "Yellow-Dock" and the Red "Honduras Sarsaparilla" are the invaluable medicinal agents from which Dr. Guyott's Improved Extract of Yellow-Dock and Sarsaparilla is formed, and the Laboratory of Dr. Guyott has given us the virtues of the roots in their perfection. His preparation contains all the restorative properties of the roots combined and concentrated to their utmost strength and efficacy.

Experiments were made in the manufacture of this medicine until it was found that it could not be further improved.

Accordingly we find it resorted to almost universally in cases of Hepatic, Scorbatic and Cutaneous complaints for general prostration of all the vital powers and all those tormenting diseases of the skin so trying to the patience and so injurious to the health.

HOSFETTER, SMITH & DEAN, San Francisco, General Agents.

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Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry,
The Best Remedy ever known to Man,
For Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup, Bronchitis, Influenza, Bleeding of the Lungs, Difficult Breathing, Liver Affections, Pain or Weakness of the Breast or Side, First Stages of Consumption, &c., &c.

In short, this Balsam is peculiarly adapted to every disease of the Lungs and Liver, which is produced by our ever-varying climate.

Influenza and Consumption.

It is indeed a melancholy truth that thousands fall victims to Consumption every year from no other cause than neglected colds; yet we find hundreds who thousands, who treat such complaints with the greatest indifference and let them run on for weeks, and even months, without thinking of the danger. At first you have what you consider a slight cough or cold; you allow business, pleasure or carelessness to prevent you from giving it any attention; if then you notice your breath, you become hoarse, have pains in the sides or chest, expectorate large quantities of matter, perhaps mixed with blood; a difficulty of breathing ensues, and then you find your own cough need not be long of this complaint. If then, you value your life or health, be warned in time and don't trade with your cold, but immediately procure a bottle of this famous remedy, Dr. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, which is well known to be the most speedy cure ever known, as thousands will testify whose lives have been saved by it.

For Influenza it is the very best medicine in the world.

Be not deceived, remember that it is

Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry that performs the most wonderful cures, and it is the remedy that will afford you immediate relief.

Sold by all Druggists.

HOSFETTER, SMITH & DEAN, Agents, San Francisco.

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July 15

For Stickeen River.

THE FAST-SAILING SLOOP

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For Freight or Passage apply to the CAPTAIN, on board.

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Age. The most powerful and wonderful medicine ever discovered.

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Has cured, and will cure, more cases of Nervous disorders than any other known remedy.

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Will set upon that state of the nervous system which produces Depression of Spirits, Anxiety of Mind, Mental Debility, Hysterics, etc., and is so wonderful in rejuvenating premature old age, and correcting everything brought on by excessive indulgence, that nothing but a trial can convince the patient of its qualities. It is not an excitant but a strengthening, purely vegetable and harmless; like a skillful architect begins by laying a firm foundation, and gradually but necessarily adds strength and vigor until nothing is left unfinished.

For sale by all Druggists.

Wholesale Agents, Langley Bros. and Curtis & Moore, Victoria; C. Langley, Raddington & Co. (Crane & Brigham) and Edward Stall, San Francisco.

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NOTICE

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

AN ADJOURNED MONTHLY MEETING of the members of this Society will be held in the Police Court Room on the evening of Tuesday next, at 8 o'clock.

A. F. MAIN, Secretary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

A. P. EVERETT,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,

WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES.

July

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THIS DAY,

TUESDAY, July 15th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

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WILL SELL

AT HIS SALESROOM,

WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES,

Dry Goods,

Clothing,

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Cases English Pie Fruits,

Cases Pickles,

Cases Salad Oil,

Boxes Soap,

Cases Biscuit,

China Rice, China Sugar,

Isthmus Butter,

E. B. Syrup,

Cheese,

Bacon,

Jewell, Harrison & Co's Lard,

Mess Pork.

—ALSO—

Cases Gin.

Cases Brandy,

Cases Whisky,

2 coils Hemp Rope,

Reams Manila Wrapping Paper,

—ALSO—

About 500 loose Gunnie Bags.

—ALSO—

Kegs Nails;

Cutlery, Spoons,

Window Curtains,

Pilot Bread.

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July 14

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Passengers are advised to take their tickets immediately, as limited number will only be accommodated.

SALMON RIVER DUST.—The Pacific had aboard \$125,000 in Salmon River gold-just, shipped at Portland.

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The road travelled by me this season is known as the Douglas and Lillooet road. The road is a good one, but there are some


 The Savannah *Republican* reports that many of the best cotton plantations near Savannah had been abandoned, and that on the rest the owners do not contemplate more than a bale to the hand.

Schr H C Page, Oberg, Port Townsend
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July 14—Schr W L Richardson, Collins, Nanaimo
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A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such painful diseases may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Piles: ere many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds and Asthma.

the frequency. The Onitment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest, and the symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with more equanimity, and none will be so soon and so completely accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off:

"From the *Kulruth Advertiser*, June 2d, 1860."—
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Gout and Rheumatism.
The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which is
poison, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving
cause, which irritates and inflames every tissue it
comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen,
and enlarged condition of the joints so characteristic
of acute diseases. The philosophy of gout consists

rapidly purified by the use of the PILLS. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates the system through the pores, acts in unison with the PILLS, and soon effects a cure.

Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation through the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface. Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be

however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify the blood, as it were, like milk, — they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious, — they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bad Legs	Clebs's foot	Fistulas	Sore-throats
Rotting Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	(Clapped Hands)	Glandular	Scurvy
Blisters	Chancres (Soft)	Swellings	Sore-heads
Itching Piles		Scalding	Sore-eyes

Sand-Flies	Stiff Joints	Rheuma- tism	Wounds
Coco-bay Scalds	Elephantiasis		Taws Sore Nipples

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot. n13

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JAYNE'S SANATIVE PILLS,
A Mild, Prompt, and Effective Remedy.**

There is scarcely any disease in which purgative medicines are not required; and much sickness and suffering might be prevented were they more generally used. No person can feel well while a cost habit of body prevails, beside, it soon generates serious and often fatal diseases, which might be avoided by timely and judicious use of proper Cathartic medicines.

Convinced of the correctness of these views,
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experience having demonstrated them to be far superior to any other in use, being more mild, prompt, and uniform in their operation. While using them no particular care is required, and patients may eat and drink as usual. Age will not impair them, and they are so combined as to always readily dissolve in the stomach. In small doses they are alterative and gently laxative, but in large doses are active cathartic, cleansing the whole alimentary canal from all putrid, irritating and fecal matters.

able article, gradually changing the vitiated secretions of the Stomach and Liver, and producing healthy action in those important organs. In cases of long standing, a cure will be more speedily effected by using, in conjunction with the Pills, the Jarrow's Alternative or Tonic Vermifuge, according to directions.

For Liver Complaint, Gout, Jaundice, Affections of the Bladder and Kidneys, Fevers, Nervous Disease of the Skin, Impurity of the Blood, Skin

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